## 2004 ELECTION

## STATE SENATOR DISTRICT 17



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I was born and raised in Hilo, Hawaii. My parents were the late Hawaii Supreme Court Justice Benjamin Menor and Lillian Menor.

My educational background includes earning a law degree from Georgetown University Law School in 1980, a Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) degree in Political Science and History from the University of California at Los Angeles (U.C.L.A.) in 1977, and a high school diploma from Iolani School in 1973.

I was elected as a State Senator for the 17th Senatorial District in 2000. Moreover, prior to being elected to the Senate in 2000, I served as a State Representative for the 39th District from 1992 to 2000.

I currently serve as the Chairman of the Senate Commerce, Consumer Protection, and Housing Committee. I am also a member of the Senate Education Committee and the Senate Transportation, Military Affairs and Government Operations Committee.

In addition, I am active in community organizations, which include memberships in the Mililani Lions Club and the Mililani YMCA Board of Directors.

I am married to the former Patricia Ann Leong who is a public school teacher at Helemano Elementary School. We are the proud parents of three sons, Benjamin (13 years old), and Andrew and Anthony (7 year old twins).